

AMENDMENTS

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in this application.

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-24. Cancelled.

25. (Currently amended) A pharmaceutical product, comprising:

- a) a therapeutically-effective amount of ~~a pharmaceutical~~ venlafaxine HCl;
- b) at least one compressible material that is a polyol, a calcium salt, or mixtures thereof;

and

c) at least one lubricating material selected from the group consisting of fats, emulsifiers, waxes, magnesium stearate, calcium stearate, talc, starches, silicon dioxide, and mixtures thereof; and

d) a binder that is a polyvinylpyrrolidone polymer;

wherein said product is in the form of a caplet having a diameter from about 1 millimeter to about 3 millimeters and a length from about 1 millimeter to about [[7]] 3 millimeters.

26. Cancelled.

27. (Previously presented) The pharmaceutical product of claim 25, wherein said at least one lubricating material is present in an amount of up to about 5% by weight of the product.

28. (New) The pharmaceutical product of claim 25, wherein the venlafaxine HCl is present in an amount of about 0.001% to 70% by weight of the product.

29. (New) The pharmaceutical product of claim 25, wherein the polyol is sorbitol, isomalt, maltitol, xylitol, lactitol, microcrystalline celluloses, polydextrose, erythritols, sucrose, or mixtures thereof.

30. (New) The pharmaceutical product of claim 25, wherein the product is in the form of a caplet having a diameter of about 3 millimeters and a length of about 3 millimeters..

31. (New) The pharmaceutical product of claim 25, wherein the lubricating material forms a film around the pharmaceutical product.

32. (New) The pharmaceutical product of claim 31, wherein the film is a hydrophobic film.

34. (New) The pharmaceutical product of claim 25, wherein the pharmaceutical product further comprises polyvinyl acetate.

35. (New) The pharmaceutical product of claim 25, wherein the calcium salt is calcium phosphate, calcium carbonate, or calcium sulfonate.

36. (New) A caplet comprising a therapeutically-effective amount of venlafaxine-containing granules said granules comprising:

a) at least one compressible material that is a polyol, a calcium salt, or mixtures thereof; and

b) at least one lubricating material selected from the group consisting of fats, emulsifiers, waxes, magnesium stearate, calcium stearate, talc, starches, silicon dioxide, and mixtures thereof;

wherein the caplet is made by compressing the venlafaxine-containing granules to give a caplet having a diameter from about 1 millimeter to about 3 millimeters and a length from about 1 millimeter to about 3 millimeters.